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Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission International Bureau 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Dear Ms. Dortch:

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Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary

This letter is submitted on behalf of EchoStar Corporation ("EchoStar") in connection with EchoStar's proposed satellite network USABSS-27A at the 86.5° W orbital location. See EchoStar Satellite L.L.C., Application to Construct, Launch, and Operate a Direct Broadcast Satellite at 86.5° W.L. Orbital Location, File No. SAT-LOA-20030609-00113, Order and Authorization, DA 06-2440, ¶ 28 (rel. Nov. 29, 2006).

EchoStar is aware that as a result of the actions taken at the 1998 Plenipotentiary Conference, processing fees will now be charged by the International Telecommunication Union ("ITU") for satellite network filings. As a consequence, Commission applicants are responsible for any and all fees charged by the ITU. EchoStar hereby states that it is aware of and unconditionally accepts this requirement and its responsibility to pay any ITU cost recovery fees associated with the aforementioned ITU filing in a timely manner. In addition, all correspondence with EchoStar regarding ITU cost recovery issues should be directed to the undersigned.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions regarding this submission.

Sincerely.

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